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It is respectfully requested that the United States Patent and Trademark Office forward a new Notice of Acceptance to the undersigned attorney showing the correction(s) as listed on the enclosed photocopy of Postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

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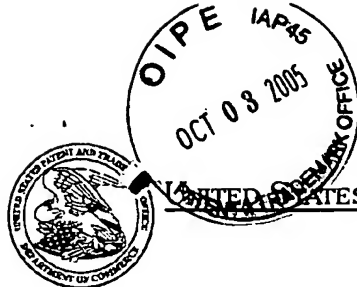


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The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/14/2005
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